



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Toshiki MURATA, et al.

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LANGUAGE PROCESSING

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**AMENDMENT**

**Mail Stop Fee Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2005, the period for responding to which being extended by one-month to July 25, 2005 (July 24, 2005 being a Sunday), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of the Claims, which begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 21 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 22 of this paper.